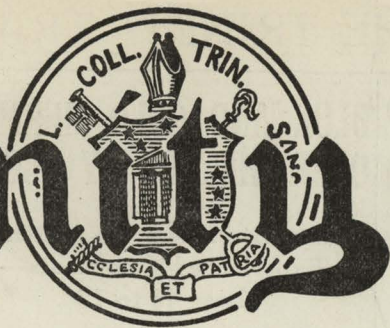


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ARNOLD WINS SQUASH RACQUETS TOURNAMENT

Defeats Del Britton in the Final Round in a Hard-Fought Match

FRESHMAN TEAM LOSES

Captain Mason is Only Freshman to Win in Squash Match with the Strong Pomfret School Team.

Arthur Alexander Arnold, Jr., '32, of Hartford, won the college squash racquets championship of the college last Saturday afternoon on the Trowbridge Memorial courts when he defeated Ralph D. Britton, '31, in a hard-fought and extremely well-played contest by the score of 15-11, 11-15, 15-12, 19-16.

The first game was tied at nine all when Arnold rallied, and brought the score to 14-9, and then ran out the game. Britton started the next game by getting a 3-0 lead and continued his excellent playing to win by a 15-11 score. The third game was the most thrilling, both men making many spectacular shots. The final game was very closely contested, Arnold rallying to bring the score to 15 all and then to win the match by taking four out of the next five points.

Last year the college championship was won by John Edmond Burke, '32, of Troy, N. Y., who defeated Britton in the final round.

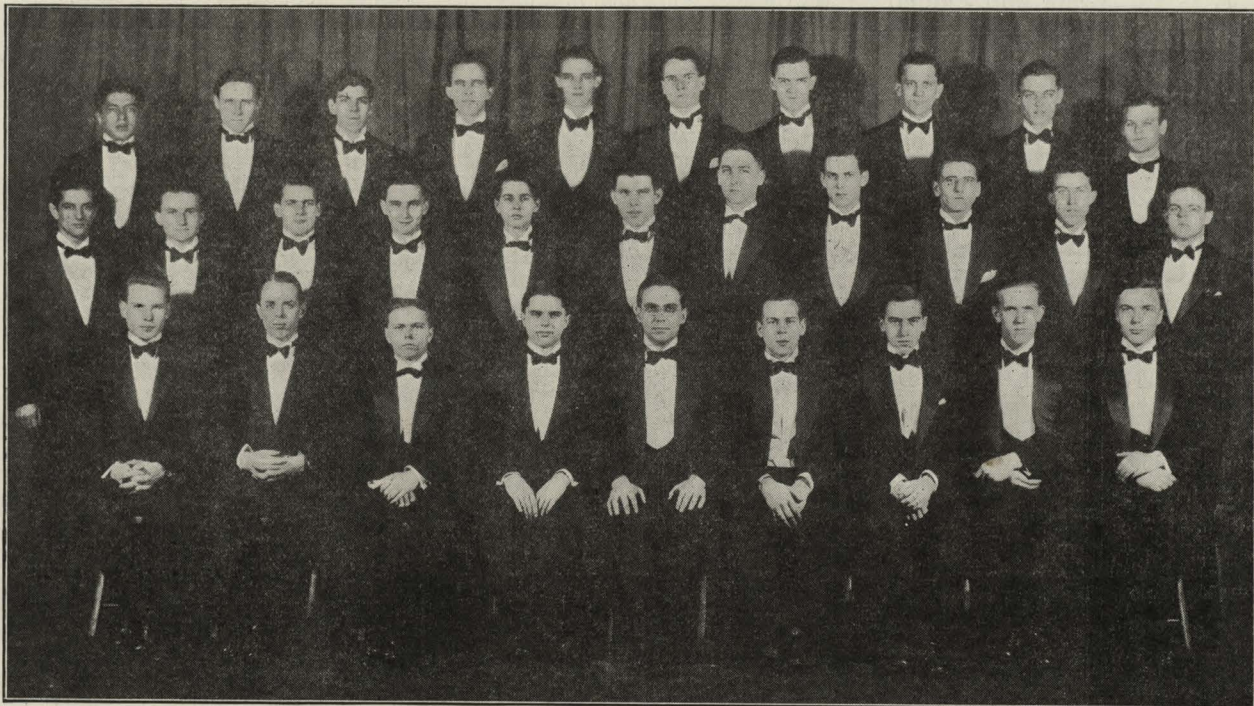
Trinity's first Freshman squash racquets team lost its opening match to the team representing Pomfret School last Saturday afternoon, by a score of 4-1. The most interesting match of the afternoon was between the number one men for both teams, when Pell, of Pomfret, beat Benjamin in five hard games, 15-11, 11-15, 18-17, 13-15, 18-17.

Mason won the only match for Trinity when he defeated the Pomfret number two man, Campbell, 15-10, 15-12, 15-10. In the remaining matches Thorn, of Pomfret, beat Clark, 15-4, 15-12, 15-10. Mathews, of Pomfret, beat Craig, 15-6, 15-9, 18-15, and Wing, of Pomfret, defeated Holland, 15-8, 15-10, 15-13.

SENIORS ELECT SCAIFE CLASS DAY CHAIRMAN

Giffin is Valedictorian and Jacobson Salutatorian for Graduation

At the Senior Class elections held yesterday, Lauriston L. Scaife of Milton, Mass., was elected Class Day Chairman, and Chairman of the Senior Ball; Denton D. Hall of Ridgewood, N. J., was elected Vice-President, and G. Laurence Blauvelt of White Plains, N. Y., Secretary and Treasurer. Scaife, as Class Day Chairman, automatically becomes president of the class. The following elections were made for Class Day: Historian, J. F. Isherwood of Fall River; Poet, W. D. Guckenbuehler of New York; Prophet, G. J. Wyckoff of Mountain Lakes, N. J.; Presenter, R. D. Britton of Elmwood, Conn.; Statistician, J. B. Meeker of Westfield, N. J. Louis Giffin of Hartford was elected Valedictorian, and C. E. Jacobson of Perth Amboy, Salutatorian.



THE GLEE CLUB

Which, appearing in competition for the first time, finished fourth in the New England Championship Tournament on the 28th of February in the Bushnell Memorial Hall, Hartford, Conn.

GLEE CLUB PREPARES FOR NEXT CONCERT

Concert and Dance Will Take Place on March 21—Men Urged to Try Out

Now that the Intercollegiate Contest is over, the Glee Club has begun preparations for its next concert, which is to be given in Alumni Hall on Saturday evening, March 21. Rehearsals are being held every Monday afternoon and Thursday evening, the following songs being given considerable attention: "Now Let Every Tongue" by Bach, "Adoramus Te" by Palestrina, "Lo How a Rose" by Praetorius, "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring" by Bach, "Feasting I Watch" by Elgar, "The Spectres' Dance" by Shubert, "My Bonnie Lass" by Morley, "Bonnie Dundee" (a Scotch folk-song), "Finnish Lullaby" by Palmgren, "Poor Little Girl" by Merisant, "At Father's Door" (a Russian folk-song), and "The Galway Piper" (an Irish folk-song).

At the conclusion of the concert a dance will be held, the music for which is to be furnished by Si Yaffe and his orchestra. It is sincerely hoped that the college body will support the Glee Club in its efforts by attending this concert. The admission is but one dollar.

At the College Body meeting held in the Public Speaking Room Wednesday morning, March 4, Howard Schmolze, '31, manager of the club, asked that more students try out for the Glee Club, adding that new members were always welcome. At present the club consists of about 30 men, and could be conveniently enlarged to 40 or 50. Anyone who thinks he might like to try out for the Glee Club is cordially invited to attend the club's next rehearsal, which will be held Thursday evening, March 12, in the Public Speaking room at seven-thirty.

WORKMEN DEDICATE WINDOW IN CHAPEL

Prize Award for Stone Cutting Presented—Coles Dedication for Friday

Yesterday afternoon the workmen on the new chapel stopped their work fifteen minutes earlier than usual to attend the dedication service in the Crypt Chapel of the window which they have donated. The service was conducted by President Ogilby assisted by Mr. Merritt and the college choir.

Last night the president gave a dinner in the Commons for the workmen, at which the prize awards for the workmen who presented the finest pieces of stone cutting were given. The three prizes awarded were money in gold. The first prize was presented to Dick Bray for a cross in high relief with traceries. Second and third prizes went to John Borocci and Ray Holmquilt. The last named did a bas-relief of Dr. Ogilby. The judges were Richardson Wright, trustee of the college and Editor of "House and Garden", Henry Wright of the Frohman, Robb & Little Co., and Professor Shepard. After the dinner, Professor Galpin gave a lecture on the history of Gothic architecture.

On Friday morning at seven o'clock there will be a dedication service for the window in memory of Dorance Coles of the class of 1930, who died in the winter of his senior year.

Competition for Business Manager and Advertising Manager of THE TRINITY TRIPOD is now open to Freshmen. Those interested should get in touch with the present Advertising Manager immediately.

TRACK AND BASEBALL SCHEDULES ANNOUNCED

Many Lettermen are Back for All Sports—Tennis Team Has Eight Matches

Track practice began yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the lower gym, and will be held there every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday afternoons for at least two weeks. Most of the outstanding men of last year's team are back and Coach Oosting is looking forward to a successful season. Though we have excellent material so far as men are concerned, our facilities for early practice of any sort are very poor. Norwich and M. A. C., both on our schedule, have field houses containing cinder tracks on which to hold early practice, and this advantage held by its opponents necessitates intensified training on the part of the Trinity team.

Few men were lost last spring due to graduation. Welivar, captain of this year's team, is considered Trinity's main threat in the sprints, while for other running events, Geiger, Wright, Birch, Roots, Carlton, Slosson, and Christy remain. In the field events there are Higgins and Rowland for the pole vault, Spray for the discus, Welivar for the broad jump, and Gibson for the high jump.

New material with which to fill in the vacancies left last spring is fairly plentiful, but Coach Oosting urges all men who can, whether they have had any former experience or not, to come out for the team this season. Some of the new men coming out this year are already known. Bob Daut, a freshman, is expected to do well in both the track and field events. Tom Burgess, ineligible last year, will be out for the discus throw, Magrauth for the pole vault, and new men for the shot event include Haring and Hanninen. The interfraternity cross-country race of last fall proved the ability of Harris, Duksa, Dickson, and Muzio as long distance runners.

With five of last year's lettermen and Gilbert V. Wright, former star and captain of the Springfield nine, as coach, the baseball team will line up for action soon. Battery men are

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VERMONT CHAMPIONS CONQUER THE 'VARSITY

Norwich University Five Win in Season's Finale—Game is Sluggish

TRINITY'S LEAD CUT DOWN

'Varsity Ahead at Half Time—Glynn and Fleming Finish Third Season of College Basketball.

The Blue and Gold 'varsity quintet suffered defeat in its last game of the 1930-1931 season, last Friday night, when the strong Norwich University team rallied in the last few moments of play to come up from a losing fight and defeat the Trinity team by a score of 23 to 16.

Although Norwich was favored to win due to her 11 victories out of the 13 games which she has played this season, Trinity had high hopes of victory because of our good showing up at Amherst and because we were to play the game on our own court.

Trinity led in scoring for the first three quarters of the game, the score at the half being 10 to 9. In the last five minutes of the game the Norwich team hit a good stride and proceeded to run wild so far as the scoring was concerned. The game itself except for the Norwich rally, was very dull and uninteresting to the few spectators present. There was a great deal of back court play, each team playing safe and refusing to take any risks. The playing was equally as bad on the part of both the teams.

Although Trinity trailed by one or two points in the first few moments of the game there was very little scoring done, until Glynn and Golino started a rally for the Blue and Gold which kept it in the lead throughout the middle of the game. A rally of the Norwich team brought it within one point of Trinity at the half.

In the first ten minutes of the second half Glynn, Andrus, Fleming, and Golino scored so that Trinity had a 16 to 11 lead, almost enough to

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JESTERS CAST PICKED TO PLAY "THE PIGEON"

E. S. Diman to Play Leading Role—Play to be Given May 16

At the final tryouts for The Jesters held last night, the committee of judges composed of Mr. Byers, the coach, Denton Hall, W. D. Guckenbuehler, and President N. B. Abbott selected the cast for "The Pigeon", by John Galsworthy. The date for the play has been set for May 16, in Alumni Hall. The cast is as follows: Christopher Wellwyn (an artist), E. S. Diman; Ann (his daughter), V. C. Warwick; Rory Megan (her husband, J. A. MacVeagh; Ferrand (an alien), G. Day; Timson (once a cabman), Coyle; Canon Bertly, N. T. Clark; Alfred Calway (a professor), Isherwood; Sir Thomas Hoxton, R. W. Lake; a police constable, Prutting; Humblemen, J. J. Sharkey, Burnside, and Meloy; Guinevere Megan, J. G. Tobin.

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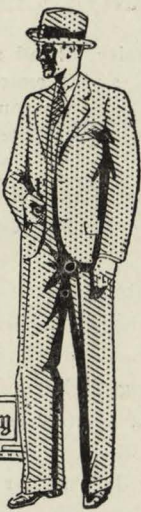
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ALPHA DELTA PHI WINS
BASKETBALL TROPHY

Gold Neutrals are Defeated
15 to 13—Craig and Liddell
Star for Winners

The strong Alpha Delta Phi team won the Interfraternity basketball championship last Tuesday afternoon when it defeated the Gold Neutrals in a close game by a score of 15 to 13.

The game was fast throughout, although there was little scoring done. The two teams were never more than two baskets apart. The score at the half was 8 to 7.

Craig starred for the Alpha Deltas by sinking a field goal in the last minute to play, thus preventing the game from going into an extra period. Liddell probably the fastest court man in college was high scorer for the winners with six points.

Galinsky's ability to shoot from the floor, gave the Neutrals eight points. Out of the 10 field goals of the game, four were made by Galinsky, who played at left guard for the Golds. Both teams scored five field goals apiece. This plus the fact that the scores of the teams were so close, shows how evenly matched the two teams were.

The Delta Phi team, led by Harvey Dann, were winners of the consolation tournament, and will play the Gold Neutrals for second position sometime this week.

Alpha Delta Phi.	G.	F.	Pts.
Funston, lf,	0	0	0
Wadlow, lf,	0	1	1
Haring, rf,	0	0	0
Phippen, rf,	0	0	0
Craig, c,	2	1	5
Funston, c,	0	0	0
Liddell, lb,	2	2	6
Bockwinkel, rb,	1	1	3
Totals,	5	5	15

Gold Neutrals.

	G.	F.	Pts.
Galinsky, rb,	4	0	8
Weinstein, lb,	0	0	0
Bernet, c,	0	1	1
Smith, rf,	1	1	3
Tasjian, rf,	0	1	1
Coroso, lf,	0	0	0
Vogel, lf,	0	0	0
Smith, lf,	0	0	0
Totals,	5	3	13

Score at half time, Alpha Delta Phi 8, Golds 7; referee, Wright; time, 8-minute quarters.

POL. SC. CLUB MAKES
PLANS FOR THE SPRING

Several Speakers Engaged
and Trip is Planned
for the Club

At a recent meeting of the Political Science Club, John Fleet Isherwood, President of the club, announced that a number of speakers had been acquired for the near future. Among these are Mr. Hubbard, Mr. Dower, and the Reverend Mr. Archibald. Arrangements are also being made to have a representative of the Chance-Vought Corporation of East Hartford speak to the club on "Aviation."

BLUE AND GOLD MERMEN
OVERWHELMED BY AGGIES

Trinity Swimmers No Match for
Experienced Opponents—
Lose 45 to 17

An inexperienced Trinity swimming team was completely overwhelmed by the record breaking Connecticut Aggie mermen in a meet held Saturday, March 7, at the Trowbridge Memorial pool. Six new pool records were established by the visiting team, who placed first in every event but one, and second in all but two.

Wyckoff, '31, scored a sensational upset early in the meet when he placed first in the diving. The final score was 47 to 15 with Trinity on the small end.

50-yard dash—Won by Harber (C); second, Gane (T); third, Stella (T); time, 26.9 seconds.

220-yard free style—Won by Sloan (C); second, Konopatzki (C); third, Day (T); time, 2.29.9 minutes.

Diving—Won by Wyckoff (T); second, Zaveralla (C); third, Harger (C).

100-yard back stroke—Won by Standish (C); second, Hertz (C); third, Smith (T); time, 1.17.1 minutes.

100-yard free style—Won by Wisinger (C); second, Gane (T); third, Stewart (C); time, 1.01.8 minutes.

100-yard breast stroke—Won by Kaplan (C); second, Smith (C); third, Coit (T); time, 1.15 minutes.

200-yard relay—Won by Aggies; Harger, Standish, Sloan, Wissinger. time, 1.47.4 minutes.

This meet was the last on the Trinity schedule and leaves the coming interfraternity swimming meet as the center of interest. A two-week course, leading to examination for the Red Cross Senior life-saving rating, will commence Monday, March 16, and is to continue daily under the supervision of Coach Clark.

ATHENAEUM TO DEBATE
CONNECTICUT AGGIES

Question to be on Unemployment
Again—Keys Ordered for
Members

On Friday, March 13, the Athenaeum Society of Trinity College will debate a team of the Connecticut Agricultural College on the question: "Resolved, That the Several States Should Enact Legislation Providing for Compulsory Unemployment Insurance to which the Employee Shall Contribute." The Trinity team will defend the negative side at Storrs, as it did Monday, March 2, when it defeated the University of Buffalo in debating the same question. This will be the third time that the Athenaeum has appeared in an intercollegiate debate. Last year they defeated the Connecticut Aggies at Trinity.

Members of the Athenaeum acted as judges last night at a debate between two teams consisting of E. A. Craig, R. J. Howard, and W. A. Carlton versus C. L. Morse, W. G. Berndt, and C. J. Sutherland, on the question: "Resolved, That the Soviet Form of Government in Russia will Prove Successful." The former team defended the negative.

The Athenaeum has accepted designs submitted by Balfour & Co., for keys to be worn by those who have been members of the society for a year or more. The design submitted is a copy of the old Athenaeum seal dating from 1823, with appropriate change of wording from Washington College to Trinity College.

ALPHA DELTA PHI AND
DELTA PSI RECEIVE CUPS

Cups for Cross-Country, Squash,
and Basketball are Presented
by Ray Oosting

Immediately after chapel last Wednesday a meeting of the college body was held in the Public Speaking room. The meeting was called to order by Daniel McCook, president of the College Body, who stated that the meeting was being held for the purpose of presenting the various athletic cups won during the Christmas term and the first month of the Trinity term. Ray Oosting, Director of Athletics, awarded the trophies.

The first cup to be presented was the Cross-Country Cup, which was won by the Alpha Delta Phi Fraternity. Lauriston L. Scaife received the trophy on behalf of the fraternity. Mr. Oosting then presented the Sidney T. Miller Squash Trophy to St. Anthony Hall. Denton Hall accepted the trophy. The last cup awarded was the Basketball Cup, won by Alpha Delta Phi.

After the awards, Mr. Oosting spoke about the possible official recognition of sports such as soccer, squash, swimming and golf, noting that these sports would not be recognized as yet because of the expense. However, he hoped that these sports would show the members of the Athletic Advisory Board that they are profitable enough to be recognized.

President McCook then introduced Howard Schmolze, Secretary of the Glee Club, who announced that the club was making a drive for new members, since the present number of students in the organization is scarcely sufficient.

INTRA-MURAL SWIMMING
COMPETITION SCHEDULED

Second Annual Interfraternity
Meet to be Held on Two Days—
Keen Interest Shown

The second annual Interfraternity Swimming Meet will be held Thursday and Friday, March 12 and 13, at 4.15, in the Trowbridge Memorial pool. The contest this year is to be scored in an unusual manner, five places being awarded, counting 5, 4, 3, 2, and 1. The relay, as it involves four men, will score 8, 5, 3, 2, 1. All entries must be handed to Mr. Clark not later than 4 p.m. on the Wednesday preceding the meet. These entries must include not only the names of the individuals entering each event, but also the three optional dives of the competing divers.

The following are the scheduled events in the order in which they will be run:

50-yard Free-style (2 lengths).

200-yard Free-style (8 lengths).

Diving (Each contestant to perform 6 dives: swan, front jack, back dive, and any three others to be chosen by the diver).

100-yard Back Stroke (4 lengths).

100-yard Free-style.

100-yard Breast Stroke.

200-yard Relay (Four-man teams, each to swim 50 yards).

Since the pool cannot accommodate more than 6 swimmers in an event, the meet will be run on two days, as announced above. On Thursday, the qualifying heats will be held, the six fastest men in each event to swim in the finals the next afternoon. Heats will be run in all events but the diving. Each contestant is limited to two events and the relay.

Last year the meet was won by the Neutrals, who, however, were not eligible for the cup, which was awarded to St. Anthony Hall. The following are the scorers of the leading teams in last year's meet: Neutrals 19; Delta Psi 12; Alpha Delta Phi 11; Psi Upsilon and Alpha Tau Kappa 10.

The competition this year is expected to be much keener, as a result (Continued on page 4.)

"LORD JEFFS" DEFEAT
'VARSITY AT AMHERST

Amherst Rally in Late Minutes
Too Much for Blue and Gold—
Fleming Stars

Yielding to a slashing Amherst rally in the final minutes of play, the Trinity 'Varsity basketball team lost to the "Lord Jeffs" last Thursday night by a score of 40 to 34. Trinity led throughout most of the encounter, having a 21 to 17 advantage at half time, and increasing that total to 31 to 23 after about ten minutes of play in the second half. Amherst then rallied and rolled up 17 points before the game ended, while the Blue and Gold were held to a solitary foul goal. The game was played at Amherst.

Two baskets by Ray Bialick in the last few minutes of the first half gave Trinity its four-point lead at half-time, and the splendid shooting of Captain Joe Fleming pushed the Blue and Gold far ahead in the beginning of the second period. But the final Amherst spurt overwhelmed Coach Oosting's men, and they went down to defeat.

The game in general was marked by lax refereeing and fine offensive play.

Summary:

Amherst.

	G.	F.	Pts.
Huff, rf,	5	1	11
Twitchell, rf,	0	0	0
Reynolds, lf,	4	3	11
Gregg, c,	3	4	10
R. Wheeler, c,	0	0	0
Mills, rf,	2	0	4
Depasqua, lg,	1	2	4
Totals,	15	10	40

Trinity.

	G.	F.	Pts.
Glynn, lg,	2	0	4
Bialick, rg,	4	1	9
Meier, rg,	0	1	1
Andrus, c,	0	0	0
Duksa, c,	1	3	5
Fleming, lf,	4	2	10
Golino, rf,	2	1	5
Totals,	13	8	34

Referee, Jackson; time, two 20-minute halves.

NEW S. D. C. ELECTS
L. WADLOW CHAIRMAN

The Club Will Hold Monthly
Meetings Throughout
the Year

At a meeting of the Sophomore Dining Club held last Friday evening, March 6, at the Delta Phi House, Lewis Alexander Wadlow, '33, of Bala, Penn., was elected chairman of the Club for the coming year. He was congratulated in a short address by Herbert George Norman, '32, of New Haven, Conn., who was chairman during the past year. Wadlow won his letter in football this year and is a member of the Alpha Delta Phi Fraternity. The election was taken in closed ballots.

One of the important decisions reached at this meeting was that the present Sophomore delegation of the club will meet every month in the future, rather than only when the chairman sees fit to call a meeting. The purpose for this decision is that the members may become better acquainted and accomplish more.

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ALUMNI NOTES

1872.

The Reverend Doctor Frederick William Harriman, former rector of Grace Episcopal Church in Windsor, Conn., died last week at the home of his son, Lewis G. Harriman, in Buffalo, N. Y. He was the rector in Windsor from 1886 until 1930, when he resigned due to failing health. From 1888 until 1892 the Reverend Harriman served as a Junior Fellow of the College. He was a member of Psi Upsilon and of the Phi Beta Kappa. His younger son, Lewis G. Harriman, is an active member of the Board of Trustees.

1876.

On the fifth of February several hundred persons gathered in the chapel of Gallaudet College in Maryland to witness the gift to Dr. Hall, President of the College, of fifty thousand dollars, to be used toward the erection of a building in memory of Dr. Edward Miner Gallaudet, Founder of the College and a member of the Class of 1876 of Trinity College. The services were conducted by Dr. Herbert Gallaudet, son of the Founder.

1885.

A Chicago paper writes of Professor Hiram B. Loomis, of the Class of '85, as a "Modern." He has for twenty-six years served as the principal of Hyde Park High School in Chicago and during that time has made for himself an enviable place both as a teacher and as an executive.

TRACK AND BASEBALL. (Continued from page 1.)

to report Tuesday, March 10, at four o'clock in Alumni Hall for practice, and will meet there Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays at that time until the weather becomes suitable for outside work.

Of the battery men of last season, Adams, who starred as pitcher in 1929 and 1930, is back again as co-captain this year, as well as Phippen, who starred as catcher and outfielder. Armstrong will also continue his good work as pitcher and in the outfield. Graham will again aid Adams and Armstrong in the pitching position.

Two more lettermen, Captain Jack Gooding, the other co-captain for this year, and Bockwinkel, will cover their old positions of third and first base, respectively, this season.

There is an abundance of new material to fill the vacancies, left by graduation in the baseball lineup. Among the most prominent are "Bill" Boeger, a junior, unable to come out last year, who will aid Adams and Armstrong as pitcher, and Bell, who is a promising candidate for the catching position.

Coach Rudolph, of the Trinity tennis team, has not as yet set any date for the initial practice of the season. The 1931 schedule has been completed, and many strong teams will be met. Of last year's team there are six men back: Captain Martini, Arnold, Glynn, Britton, Grainger, and Burke. Whether or not all of these men will be out this year is undecided. Among the new men who seem promising material are Harris, Merriam, and Craig, all freshmen.

The 1931 track schedule is as follows:

May 2—Mass. Aggies at Amherst.
May 9—Norwich at Northfield.
May 16—Eastern Intercollegiates at Springfield.
May 26—Inter-Class Meet at Hartford.
May 30—Conn. Aggies at Hartford.

The 1931 tennis schedule is as follows:

April 29—Clark at Hartford.
May 2—Worcester Tech at Worcester.
May 6—Bowdoin at Hartford.
May 9—Wesleyan at Hartford.

The Chicago paper speaks of the total lack of friction between students and faculty at the Hyde Park school since Professor Loomis has been principal. Professor Loomis was born in Hartford, and after graduating from Trinity, took his Ph.D. at Johns Hopkins University. He is a member of the Delta Kappa Epsilon Fraternity.

1892.

Dr. Hugh Kidder, who for thirty-five years had been a staff physician at the Flower Hospital in New York, died at the French Hospital on the seventeenth of February at the age of sixty-one. He is survived by a widow and four children. His home was in Riverdale, N. Y.

1907.

Fred C. Hedrick represented Trinity at the celebration of the Twenty-Fifth anniversary of the Founding of the University of Florida, held at Gainesville, Florida, on February 12. On the same day memorial services were held for Dr. John R. Benton, of the Class of 1897, late Dean of the Engineering College of the University of Florida. A memorial fountain and a tablet were unveiled, both to be placed in the Engineering Building, now known as Benton Hall. Mr. Hedrick is a member of Alpha Delta Phi.

1919.

Recently a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harmon T. Barber of Windsor, Conn., at the Hartford Hospital.

1923.

E. J. J. Cullum, Psi Upsilon, has built up in the past five years a department of Fine Arts in Davidson College, North Carolina. The department includes appreciation courses in music and painting and also courses in the practice of painting. In addition to his work in the Fine Arts Department, Mr. Cullum is the director of two student bands, the glee club, and the college choir. He has twice been sent abroad by the Carnegie Foundation for summer study.

1927.

A son, Wales Scribner Dixon, Jr., was born on February 25 to Mr. and Mrs. Wales Dixon at the Hartford Hospital. Mr. Dixon is a member of the Alpha Delta Phi Fraternity.

1928.

Robert F. Gibson of Charlottesville, Va., who returned to this country last fall after two years in the Orient, is studying for the degree of Master of Arts at the University of Virginia. He is a member of Saint Anthony Hall.

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OBITUARY.

Members of the Alumni will regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Mary Constance Knower, widow of Benjamin Knower of New York, at her home on Farmington Avenue in Hartford, recently. Mrs. Knower was for many years interested in the college and served as a chaperon at many proms and fraternity dances.

MAX VOEGLIN SPEAKS ON "SWISS EDUCATION"

Says Students Here Are
Not as Advanced as
Swiss Students

Perhaps the best-composed speech yet given this year at Trinity was delivered in last Wednesday's chapel by Max Voeglin, a graduate student at Trinity. Mr. Voeglin before coming to Trinity was a student at the Ecole Supérieure de Commerce at Lausanne, Switzerland. The speaker's subject was "Education in Switzerland."

The speaker said that there is no centralized school system in Switzerland, although there is a certain uniformity due to the requirements of present conditions. All public schools are under the management of the state, in opposition to clerical management. All schools must grant religious liberty, but religious liberalism is not directed against religion but as a means of preserving religious freedom.

May 16—Holy Cross at Hartford.
May 17 to 20—New England Intercollegiates at Chestnut Hill.
May 21—Springfield at Springfield.
May 23—Williams at Hartford.

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The baseball schedule for the season of 1931 is as follows:

April 22—Lowell Textile at Hartford.
April 25—Connecticut Aggies at Storrs.
April 29—Worcester Tech at Hartford.
May 2—Union at Hartford.
May 6—Wesleyan at Hartford.
May 13—Williams at Williamstown.
May 16—C. C. N. Y. at Hartford.
May 20—Massachusetts Aggies at Amherst.
May 23—Amherst at Hartford.
May 26—Clark at Worcester.
May 30—Connecticut Aggies at Hartford.
June 13—Alumni at Hartford.

ism is not directed against religion but as a means of preserving religious freedom.

School attendance is compulsory for eight years. The two sexes are educated separately. At the age of six the child must go to the public primary schools, where he or she remains until ten years of age. He is then supposedly old enough to have decided what he prefers as a life work. He then goes to schools which will prepare him for broad professional groups. These schools are the Sekundarschule, the Realschule, and the Gymnasium.

The Sekundarschule comprises six school years. French is the only language taught in this school (at Basle). There are special classes for backward children.

The Realschule is divided into four years Unter Realschule and four years Ober Realschule. This school prepares for the Federal Polytechnic School.

The Gymnasium provides a humanistic education, and such languages as Latin, Greek, and Hebrew are cultivated. It, as the Realschule, is divided into four years Unter Gymnasium, and four years Ober Gymnasium.

There are no organized athletic teams but due time is devoted to physical culture and health. At least two hours a week are given to gymnastics.

There are seven universities in Switzerland: Basle, Zurich, Berne, Geneva, Lausanne, Neuchatel, and Fribourg. The popularity of these universities is proved by the fact that one-third of the students are foreigners. At these universities the students enjoy academic freedom. There are no marks, no tests, and no attendance is taken, but if one wishes to work for a degree he must pass examinations at the end of the year.

"Switzerland," concluded the speaker, "has to meet competition through constantly improved products, and her only weapon in the fight for existence is the mobilization of the intellectual powers of her population. Thus the question of education is more widely discussed in Switzerland than in the United States."

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ON COMPULSORY CHAPEL

During the course of our four years at Trinity College there has been one subject of conversation among the undergraduates which has been able to bring forth a unified expression of disapproval. That subject, whether termed "compulsory chapel", "required attendance at chapel" or by any other circumlocution, is the requirement that, to receive a degree, the student must make a minimum number of visits to the college chapel at stated times to sit through what is called (without the slightest humorous intent) a religious service for the worship of God.

In such conversations one hears that the services are poor; that they are a degradation of Christian worship; that the administration must be ashamed of a degree requirement which is not noted in the catalogue; that the administration must be ashamed of its requirement when it has chapel slips distributed at the back door when there is a possibility of public attendance at a service; in short that the system is unintelligent, unreasonable, and unpardonable.

For four years, we say, have we heard these accusations repeated ad nauseam, and now, near the end of our college career, we feel that one word should be said about this disgusting subject: that compulsory chapel exists at Trinity College only by sufferance of the undergraduates; that concerted action by the student body would correct the situation, relieving the faculty and trustees of the responsibility of withholding, for religious reasons, from an otherwise eligible student, the academic degree of a secular college. The solution is simple. May we, then, ask either that the question be dismissed as a topic for general debate, or that the action necessary for the relief of the situation be taken immediately?

BLINDNESS IN OUR COLLEGES

We learn from an authoritative source that in England and in no few other foreign countries students in the higher institutions of learning find the greatest benefits of their scholastic apprenticeship in their extra-curricular activities. "Book-learning," it seems, is subordinated to the active, creative life outside the classroom, and the result has been the establishment of a system of education unequalled for excellence by any system that has preceded.

The situation in America is very different: we have subordinated book-learning, but we have not subordinated it to anything superior. Students, in the almost blind desire to satisfy the yearning which their instructors fail to satisfy, rush into the field of activities with unfortunate results: activities get into the saddle and ride them, and the ultimate effect upon the student's mind is harmful stimulation rather than satisfaction, confusion rather than orientation. The roots of the trouble are evident: lack of awareness of the real purposes of activities; too much specialization—an outgrowth of the turn to specialized study in originally "liberal" colleges; and a devotion to the mere notoriety that being "versatile" brings.

But this blindness cannot last in a thinking group. Already in Trinity and in other colleges in the eastern part of the United States we can see this situation breaking down. The "Frank Merriwell" fetich is dying out of our institutions and the thinking portion of American students are rapidly reacting against too great versatility in activities and too much specialization.

BOOK REVIEW

THE LIMESTONE TREE, by Joseph Hergesheimer. Alfred A. Knopf, New York 1931. \$2.50.

The current notion among authors that, to acquire whatever acclamation those cognizant of literature feel justified in emitting, one has only to reveal the evolution of some family from the pioneer days to the present supposed prosperity of some recognized portion of this country, has been responsible for a startling galaxy of books depicting such evolutions. Joseph Hergesheimer's "The Limestone Tree," is perhaps the best of the galaxy, not for its historical interest, nor for its keen character portrayals, but because it is written in a style that is a joy to read.

"The Limestone Tree," is the story of Gabriel Sash with his family and descendants through more than a hundred years in Kentucky. It is the scene of the accumulation of a wholly American tradition of responsibility and courage and honor. The pattern of successive lives and deaths is brilliant with passion and murder, war more peaceful, often, than the private bitterness of apparent peace. The poverty, the marauding Indians, of pioneer times, change into the great racing estates of 1840. The Civil War divides Kentucky and the Sash

family into two opposed camps, and all the Sash men, practically, are killed in battle.

Afterwards the changes are even greater; the drama is more civilized, perhaps more secret, but not less intense. "The Limestone Tree" is not a story of degeneration, but an account of the rise of a strong and determined, a pure, strain of blood, set in the pastoral beauty, the forest and clearings, the woodland meadows, of the incomparable limestone Kentucky.

The naivete of the characters is responsible in a large measure for the humor of the book. For instance, the pioneer woman, warning her husband against the Indians, said only, "Be careful, you might get your hair lifted." * * * The man proposing said "I don't know if it's bad or good, but you're my luck." "I'll be your luck," she replied, "and we will try to keep it good." * * *—John Skelp, who had kissed her, afterwards told Nancy to her face that he would as lieve kiss a scalping knife.

Although the style is readable and the incidents amusing, it is doubtful whether this book is of any value as literature. Covering such a long period of time, the book has of a necessity to be divided into episodes. Some of the episodes might well have been omitted.

COMMUNICATIONS

(Written in a spirit wavering between indignation and our unquenchable good humor.)

"In spite of the helpful cheering of the Sigma Nu's, the Jayvees won a well-earned victory from the Williamantic 'Y' by the score of 26 to 21" says an athletic write-up in a recent issue of the "Tripod". The phrase "in spite of" is one to which we find an objection. (Note, please, that, despite the great temptation, we did not end that sentence with a preposition.) If "with" had been used instead a much greater approximation of the truth would have been reached. The cheering in question was not intended to be and was not sarcastic or adversely critical. And if it had been, why limit it to the Sigma Nu's? At least one member of the Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity and many members of the neutral body were equally prominent and vociferous before the noise became general throughout the gymnasium. It is our honest and sincere contention that, excepting a few widely scattered cases of misguided individuals, there has never been, for the last four years at least, any public "razzing" of a team representing Trinity.

If, after reading the above brilliant and well-phrased expostulation, anyone still doubts the loyalty to Trinity of the Sigma Nu's, let him ask Coach Oosting what representatives of the school appeared as spectators at the out-of-town basketball games this season.

Sincerely yours,
GEORGE A. MACKIE.

NORWICH GAME. (Continued from page 1.)

give us the game. Within the next five minutes Hartford, the victor's captain, started the fatal scoring streak, and was followed by Washburn, who dribbled the length of the floor and scored, catching the Blue and Gold defense flat-footed. More scoring by Vannes, Hartford, Washburn, and Laddy, all for the Vermont team, won the game for the visitors, 23 to 16. (Continued on page 5.)

To the Editor:

As a loyal reader and supporter of "The Trinity Tripod" I feel that I am quite justified in writing a few words of criticism—for the most part adverse.

I have heard from many sides the harsh words of my fellow students saying that the last edition of the paper was so full of advertisements that it was entirely useless as an organ of news. I beg to differ with my colleagues and say that I thought that last week's edition one of the best. I will readily admit that there was an abundance of advertising, but instead of harming the paper it worked in quite the opposite direction. The news articles were then necessarily more concentrated and thus remedied a defect which has been rampant in the "Tripod" for a long while—namely the unnecessary "bulling up" of articles. Again the last week's "Tripod" contained two real specimens of news, the results of the debate the night before and the Sophomore Dining Club elections. It is very seldom that the paper contains real news.

I hope these improvements are not temporary. If we must call upon the Camel Cigarette Company to put in advertisements so as to improve the paper, why let us by all means.

I should like to see the headlines, which are so excellently balanced, tend to follow the content of the articles to which they are attached. The headline of some weeks ago which read, "Daut Fails to Score", aroused some justifiable amusement about the campus when no mention of Daut could be found in the article.

I really think that a little less space might be given to the Wednesday Chapel Service, which precedes the publication of the "Tripod" by six days.

These features which I have criticised have already been improved over what they have been for the past few years, and I only mention them to remind the Editors that the paper is far from perfect, and that the seeds that were sown last fall should not be allowed to wither.

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Trinity basketball came to a close with the team having (as Coach Oosting stated to the representative of "The Trinity Tripod"), an unusual, but successful, season. The team lost nine of its games, and won six. The general attitude, however, all season toward the team has been to compare its showing with that of last year's team which was the best that ever represented Trinity on the court. Handicapped by this condition the team has seen some of its hardest-fought games made light of in view of this unfair comparison.

Two regulars remained from last year's team to start the season. They were Captain Fleming and Glynn. From the Junior 'Varsity came Golino, Duksa, and Meier. Andrus and Bialick completed the squad, which was strengthened after the mid-year examinations by the addition of Daut and Houlihan from this year's Junior 'Varsity squad.

The prospects were none too promising in the early part of the season, but the team began well by defeating the Cooper Union Institute team in its first game. Following this the team proceeded to lose five of its next seven games. Then came the Wesleyan game. Trinity marched out on the floor determined to win, and win they did. The team played superlative basketball, completely sweeping Wesleyan along in a flashing attack during the first half. In the second half a changed Wesleyan team took the floor, but Trinity was not to be vanquished, finally winning 33 to 29. The next Friday night the team traveled to Brooklyn to defeat Pratt Institute 19 to 16, for Pratt's only defeat of the season on its home floor. But the climax had been reached and the team lost four of its five games.

The team played splendid basketball throughout the season, especially in view of the fact that the team was inexperienced, and that three of the regulars were playing their first year of 'Varsity basketball. The high scorers for the season were Captain Fleming, Golino and Glynn.

Fleming and Glynn are seniors and have played their last game of basketball for Trinity. The rest of the squad will be intact for next year.

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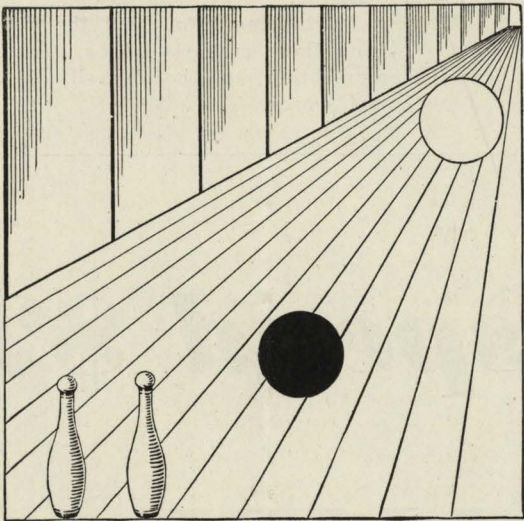
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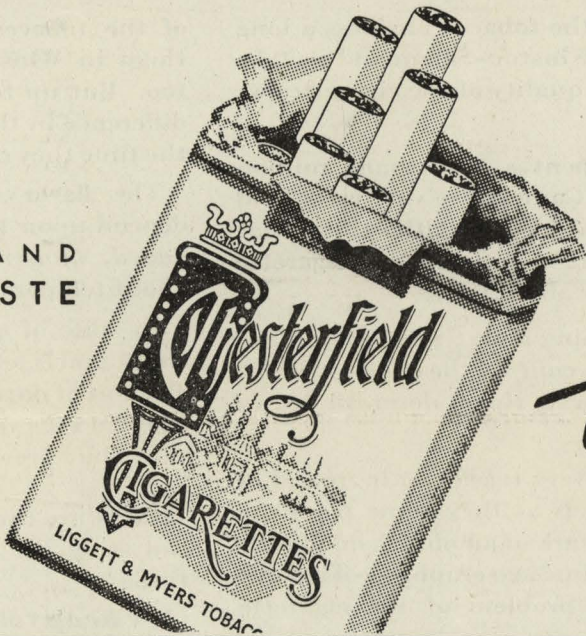
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NORWICH GAME.
(Continued from page 4.)

Golino at right forward was again high scorer for Trinity, as he has so often been throughout the season, with six of the sixteen points scored to his credit. Andrus at center was runner up with four points. Only two of Trinity's 16 points were made on foul shots.

Of the 15 games played this season, Trinity was only able to carry off six victories. The team apparently lost its confidence when its three-year winning streak on the home court was broken by the strong R. P. I. team, last Junior Week-end, in what was one of the most thrilling games of the season. The Blue and Gold has to its credit, a victory over Wesleyan, the holders of the Little Three title for this season.

The Trinity Jayvee team defeated the Conn. Aggie Freshmen in the

preliminary game, after having been defeated by this team earlier in the season. The score was 20 to 15, with Carey and Fritzson both scoring 7 points for the Blue and Gold.

Norwich.

	G.	F.	Pts.
Leddy, lf,	2	3	7
Vannes, rf,	1	0	2
Stevens, rf,	0	0	0
Victhier, c,	3	0	6
Washburn, lb,	1	0	2
Hartford, lb,	3	0	6
Sipsey, rb,	0	0	0
Forbes, rb,	0	0	0
Totals,	10	3	23

Trinity.

	G.	F.	Pts.
Bialick, rb,	0	0	0
Meier, rb,	0	0	0
Glynn, lb,	1	1	3
Andrus, c,	2	0	4
Duksa, c,	0	0	0
Golino, rf,	3	0	6

Dant, rf,	0	0	0
Fleming, lf,	1	1	3
Totals,	7	2	16

Score at half-time: Trinity 10, Norwich 9; referee, Ball; time, 20-minute halves.

Trinity Jayvees.

	G.	F.	Pts.
Greenberg, lf,	0	0	0
Coleman, lf,	0	0	0
Kenney, rf,	0	1	1
Liddell, rf,	2	1	5
Carey, c,	3	1	7
Thomson, c,	0	0	0
Fritzen, lb,	3	1	7
DeVoe, rb,	0	0	0
Totals,	8	4	20

Aggie Freshmen.

	G.	F.	Pts.
Wood, rb,	0	0	0
Donahue, lb,	2	2	6
Bodcycoat, c,	1	1	3
Baroni, rf,	1	2	4
Top, rf,	0	0	0
Madden, lf,	0	2	2

Totals, 4 7 15

Score at half time: Jayvees 11, Freshmen 4; referee, McCormick; time, 8-minute quarters.

Those who think it an outrage (or what have you) because no student will be admitted to a home game without his season ticket, might be interested in the following which we discovered in the "Tufts Weekly":

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BASKETBALL SEASON.

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Golino is one of the marvels of the team. Undoubtedly one of the smallest mer in college, his ability to score is uncanny, as many a visiting guard will testify. Wherever the scramble is thickest he is in the midst of it. To Fleming goes much credit for

leading his team, inexperienced as it was, to such heights as it reached.

Glynn played a beautiful game throughout the season, and will be sorely missed. He was the keystone of the team, and his close guarding combined with his accurate shooting marked him as a fine guard.

The Junior Varsity ended its sea-

son on Friday night with a win over the Connecticut Agricultural College Jayvees, turning in a record of eight wins and eight losses. The playing of Captain DeVoe, Carey, and Liddell has been outstanding throughout the season, and these men should be a welcome addition to the Varsity squad next season.

INTRAMURAL SWIMMING.

(Continued from page 2.)

of the informal swimming team, which closed its season Saturday. The following records, made in last year's meet, are all expected to be bettered by wide margins:

50-yard Dash—Coles, A. T. K., 29 sec.
200-yard Dash—Coles, A. T. K., 3.06½.

50-yard Breast Stroke—Wyckoff, Psi Upsilon, 39 4-5.

100-yard Dash—McDermott, Neutrals, 1.15.

50-yard Back Stroke—Gane, Neutrals, 43 seconds.

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In fact we have every reason to be proud of the quality of Camels as they come from the factory, but the remark of an old friend of ours from Denver some time ago emphasized a point that has been the problem of the cigarette industry for years.

As he inhaled the smoke from a Camel we gave him in our offices one morning, he sighed with very evident enjoyment and then asked jokingly, "What is this, a special blend reserved for Camel executives?"

"Certainly not," we told him. "This package of Camels was bought at the corner store this morning."

"Well," he said, "I've been a dyed in the wool Camel smoker for a good many years, but upon my soul I never got a cigarette as good as this in Denver. If you would give the rest of the world the kind of Camels you sell here in Winston-Salem, you ought to have all the cigarette business there is."

THAT statement simply emphasized again the cigarette industry's most important problem. The more we thought about it, the surer we were that he was dead right, and that somehow, something must be done.

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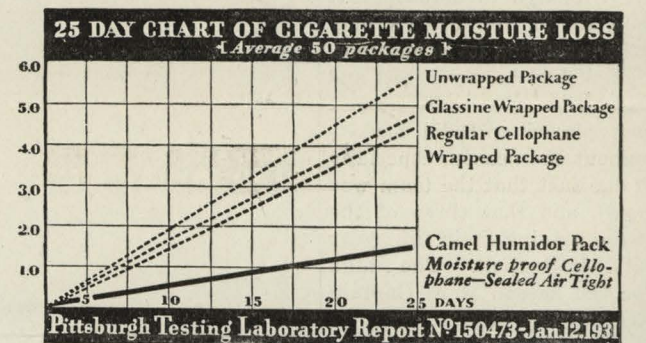
(B) All cigarettes so packed tend to dry out rapidly from the day they are released from the factory.

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